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1. AS REQUESTED REFTTEL, FOLLOWING IS LINE WHICH DEPARTMENT AND WHITE HOUSE PROPOSE TO TAKE IF ASKED BY THIRD COUNTRY DIPLOMATS OR PRESS ABOUT POSTPONEMENT OF BOURGUIBA VISIT. PLEASE INDICATE IF THIS GUIDANCE, TO BE USED BY USG REPRESENTATIVES ONLY IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS, WOULD CREATE ANY PROBLEMS FOR GOT.

2. "DESPITE EFFORTS OF BOTH USG AND GOT, IT HAS NOT BEEN
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POSSIBLE TO SETTLE UPON A MUTUALLY CONVENIENT DATE FOR A

VISIT BY PRESIDENT BOURGUIBA TO WASHINGTON IN LATE MAY OR
EARLY JUNE. THE TWO GOVERNMENTS HAVE AGREED TO POSTPONE
THE VISIT FOR THE TIME BEING."

3. AMBASSADOR SEELYE CONCURS. RUSH

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